St Andrews Castle
Explorer Quiz

Explore our castle with this fun, fact-finding mission and uncover clues in the most unexpected places.

Remember to ask a steward if you need any help.

1. Look for James II sitting at his desk. What feature gave him the nickname Fiery Face?

2. Find a lady who could swim or fly. Do you think she’s an angel or a mermaid?

3. People defended St Andrews Castle from its walls. How many sides does the castle have?

4. How many holes can you find for shooting out of the castle?

5. Prisoners were kept in a horrible prison in the castle. What object is it named after?

6. Can you draw the shape of the prison in this box?

Need a clue? Look in these places:

7. Upstairs in the Sea Tower, find a hole in the window sill. What do you think it was used for?
8. How old was Alexander Stewart when he became Bishop of St Andrews?

9. All that is left of the Great Hall is part of one wall. What happened to the rest of it?

10. Explore the dark, damp tunnels under the castle. Why are they here?

11. A row of arches once stood on columns in the castle. How many column bases can you count?

12. Beside the castle wall there is an avenue of trees. How many trees are there today?